WASHINGTON

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 28.

The Guests of Virginia. The journey of the President of the United States through Virginia or the journeys we should say-have been very pleasant, as is evidenced by the accounts published in the various newspapers of that State, and of the country at large, but especially the amiable and spirited organ of the Government at Washington, the Republic. That Old Virginia would give to Mr. Fillmore a warm, hearty, hospitable reception, we well knew; and that he, by all the amenities of the true gentleman, would prove a most agreeable and welcome, as well as honored guest, was also well known. It was fortunate, too, that he was enabled to travel in the company and under the guardianship of that most excellent and highly esteemed personage, the Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Alexander H. H. Stuart. These eventful and agreeable jaunts have no doubt been interesting to the traveling party, and, indeed, somewhat edifying to the rest of mankind. General Scott had just invaded and conquered-if they would only stay so-the States of Pennsylvania and Ohio, and was menacing other important territories of the Union, but had, unfortunately for himself, acquired too much of the good-will of the friends of Mr. Seward; Mr. Webster had "used up" all his political hopes in both New York and Virginia; Mr. Clay was presumed to have gone to sleep forever; and Mr. Stuart, by a long course of careful cherishing, had got on seemingly excellent terms with the citizens of Virginia, among whom he knew "no Whigs-no Democrats." How auspicious, then, was the moment for Mr. Fillmore! He had but to show himself in the companionship of Mr. Stuart-to tell the people that they two were great friends; that both disclaimed alike all knowledge of two such parties as Whigs and Democrats; that both were "sound upon the slavery question," would not permit an Abolitionist or a Seceder to remain in office, and all that sort of thing. But how little Mr. Fillmore seems to know about the use Mr. Stuart is making of him. Mr. S. has much to gain in Virginia, but Mr. Fillmore nothing. Even "Jack" Hale-clever, good-hearted soul that he is !-would be kindly received at every doorstep in the Old Dominion. His horse would be put carefully away, rubbed down, and fed with corn. while Jack would be blandly welcomed to the best apartments in the house. If Jack were to praise what he saw, the people would praise him and his home; and when parting from him at the road gate, they would press his hand warmly, and from their hearts wish him pleasant journey. But would they vote for him? Not a living soul of them! Kindness, hospitality, and good-will are, as we well know, primary virtues in the old State; but voting against conscience and interest is not a weakness there. Whether the pretty little game played by Mr. Stuart will make him as powerful a man in Virginia as he promises himself to be, is a problem for the future to solve; but if the Democracy of Western Virginia do not stand up for him and "Tom" Haymond, it is harder to buy them up than these gentlemen have deemed it. As for the Whigs, it is taken for granted that these poor fellows belong to their "great leaders" already, and of course have nothing to expect from them. Indeed they have been pretty clearly given to under stand that after certain gentlemen had been elevated in the world and in their own conceptions of themselves, the ladder on which they had ascended was of no further utility-or that if the Whig party should ever be needed

THE WILLIAM SELDEN .- A trial-trip was yesterday made by this new steamer, just completed by Captain George Page. She made the to Alexandria, in twenty-one minutes, and returned in twenty-four minutes against a strong tide, with twenty-eight pounds of steam. He engine and machinery worked admirably.

again, it would come when whistled for!

The new boat being built at Captain Page's ship-yard has not yet received a name. She will be launched about the middle of September all ready for active service, machinery aboard, steam up, and all complete! She is in length one hundred and twenty feet, beam fourteen feet, hold five feet, and of about ninety tons burden. She is to be built and owned, as has heretofore been stated, by the workmen of the yard, leaving to Mr. Page only so much proprietorship in her as the men shall fail to make up of her whole cost. Her proprietors intend her for a river pleasure-boat, occasionally for a ferry boat, or for any other purposes which the wants of the community may suggest.

The keel is now ready of still another boat, but of much larger dimensions than any we have had occasion to describe. She is to be two hundred and fifty feet long, thirty-four beam, and nine hold, and will be equal to about nine hundred tons! We believe she is intended for the Washington and Aquia Creek route.

In models, materials, and workmanship, the boats built by Capt. Page are highly admired, and reflect great credit on the skill and enterprise of our city.

House Servants are always in demand in Washington. We have now a very large free negro population, in general idle, profligate. dishonest, lazy and thriftless. Able, somehow, to live without work, they are indifferent about going into service, make their own bargains, and keep them in their own way. Competition with them also injures the white servants, lowers their just pride and renders them careless of reputation. It has been suggested, as a means of correcting the evil, that all persons requiring domestic "helps" should agree to receive no one without a certificate from the last employer; but we do not think this would effect much good. Our country is very free, and people will do as they please; and, besides, the servants of one year are not unfrequently the ers and mistresses of the next. the most that can be done—and it ought to be done—is to cause the laws relating to vagrants and paupers to be rigidly enforced. All persons me visible means of support, male and female, should be attended to by the po-lice. There are whole neighborhoods about the city that should be overhauled mouthly at least. The welfare of the community at large would thus be promoted, and many cases of individual privation and suffering relieved.

BOATS AND BOAT-BUILDING. - We yesterday vening paid a visit to the ship-yard of Mr. Lambell, where we saw the prettiest specimen of a canal boat we have ever looked upon. The last touch had just been given to her, and she sat upon the waters so gracefully that we could hardly believe her destined for the ordinary uses of a boat of burden. Yet such she is, though possessing a neat cabin and fine accommodations for a number of passengers. Her hull is painted a handsome drab, and her house white. She is eighty-five feet in length, fourteen in wichth, four feet deep from her guards around the cars, their limbs cramped from a down, and is capable of carrying from eight sitting position, and their skin dry and husky, hundred to nine hundred barrels. She is made of the best of materials, and in every point gives evidence of skillful workmanship and liberal expenditure. We understand her price to be \$1,500. She has been built to the order of Messrs. Smart & Bentley, two of the most enterprizing, sagacious and successful millers and produce-dealers within a dozen counties around a meeting at Forrest Hall, on the third Tuesus. Their establishment is on the canal, about day night in September next, at half-past seven

her career. Mr. Lambell once gave the name authorities,) at its next session, for sundry of John P. Smart to a fine little schooner now in use in Mexico, and which has ever been attended with a run of luck almost unprecedented; and in return for that compliment this new boat has been called the K. H. Lambell. She is to be commanded by Capt. Samuel Smart.

We noticed at Mr. Lambell's yard that he had up for repairs the schooner Pennsylvania, of St. Mary's county, commanded (and owned we believe) by Captain Abell. This craft will undergo thorough repairs, at an expense of probably \$300 or \$400. The facilities at this the best kinds; the railway upon which vessels and E. Paysen. are drawn up is well constructed also, and convenient.

We learn upon inquiry that Mr. Lambell is about to give up this establishment and withdraw from the business, to give his whole attention to the other pursuits in which he has been so long engaged; but when it is known And the citizens of Washington were then in that Mr. THOMAS D. ALLEN, his most worthy and skillful foreman, is to succeed him, we have a good assurance that many a handsome and perfect specimen of workmanship is destined to glide from his hands into the crystal current of the Potomac.

OCCUPATION OF WASHINGTON BY THE BRITISH. Thirty-seven years ago, on Monday last, says the New York Star, the British army, under General Ross, made an incursion from the Chesapeake, and took possession of Washington city. The troops burned not only the Capitel, which at that time was in an unfinished state. but its extensive library, records, and other collections, appertaining not to war, but to peace and civilization. The President's House and the public offices were reduced to ashes. These were rebuilt shortly after the conclusion of peace. The enemy, however, did not long remain in possession. General Ross and his army met with a repulse on the 12th of September, at North Point, near Baltimore, and he was killed with others in a skirmish.

Nurses are sometimes kind and careful; but ot always. We often wonder at the indifference of parents in entrusting their children to the care of stupid or negligent nurses for hours at a time. They very often abuse them, or eglect them in pursuit of their own pleasure. We yesterday noticed an instance of the kind. The little thing had grown drowsy in its little carriage; its head sank down to one side, and at every moment struck against the high wheels now attached to the new two-wheeled vehicles. But the nurse, who was no doubt deaf, pulled away, and went along, regardless of the perils of the little one, and of its oft-repeated eyes cries. The children of the poor-when not too from their ferocious enemy, and continuing to poor—are often happily off in the enjoyment of be gored till life was no longer. Such scenes as this cause me to realize in what country I the constant personal care of their own parents. am; and still more when I see present well-The wealthy should perform as a duty what dre these do from necessity. Again, the prayer of spring." Agur-" NEITHER POVERTY NOR RICHES."

THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCER .- So unusual thing is it for the editors of this sterling old journal to exhibit even the shadow of an angry motion, that we this morning felt delighted and refreshed by the perusal of the first paragraph under its editorial head, the reading whereof is as follows, the italicising excepted:

"The regular readers of this paper are well aware that we seldom take up our time or theirs in noticing ill-natured or injurious imputations on the motives or opinions of its editors. Calumny and uncharitableness towards political adversaries are so common with the lower order of public presses, that a man's character must be already bad which can of the same day—a small place about twelve suffer damage from such sources. Scandals fly no longer "on eagle's wings," but soon sink into the gutter where they are born. It is rarely, therefore, that we deem it necessary to turn aside to repel the scurrility of disappointed avarice or malice, whether from party hacks or sorrice or malice, whether from party did patriots, or incendiary liberators; and there-fore we have abstained from noticing the coarse epithets with which we have been complimented by some of the bandit presses of New Orleans and New York touching what we have said of their enterprises against the rich Island of Cu-ba, in which it is highly probable that interested

eculation was more concerned than principle

So there now! THE NEXT NEWS FROM CURA.-The Philadel. phia Bulletin of yesterday evening says, that there will probably be no steamer from Havana before the 4th or 5th of September, when the Empire City may be expected at New York from New Orleans, touching at Havana, where she will take from the Falcon the California mails of August first. The steamship Isabel, the Charleston and Havana packet, is now laid up for repairs, so that no news is to be expected from that quarter. It is probable, however, that we shall have some news in a few days by a sailing vessel at some one or other of our various seaports.

The boast has been made by several of Mr. CORWIN'S "dependents" that they can always learn who writes communications for this paper. That they can, in most instances, is very true, for the writers desire no secresy. But when secresy is desired they cannot learn. There appeared one article, the author of which we will reveal whenever Mr. Corwin requests it.

HORACE GREELEY copies with gusto an article from the National Intelligencer, which he says denounces the Cuban invaders as highwaymen and robbers. oriven from the country.

GEORGETOWN AND ITS AFFAIRS.

GEORGETOWS, August 28-12 m. As noticed in my letter of yesterday, the sacket-boat Fashion arrived here at 5 o'clock p. m., making the passage from Cumberland in forty-six hours. She had on board a large number of passengers, and one could easily read from their countenances that the trip had been a pleasant one; so totally different from the appearance of travelers on the railroad, having their eyes filled with the cinders that float feeling, as they look, jaded and discontented.

There is a slight correction to my letter as published in yesterday's paper; there being only thirty, instead of three hundred persons ngaged on Mr. Berry's wharf.

Town Charter.-Forty-eight of our most espectable citizens have united in the call for forty miles from Georgetown, and thence and o'clock, to take into consideration the propriety back to the District will be the future limits of of petitioning Congress, (through our corporate amendments to our Town Charter, giving it additional powers to levy a School Tax, not exceeding one dollar per capita, and to have the Town officers elected by the people.

Canal Trade. - Arrived boats Cumberland, Cumb., 94 tons of coal; Jenny Lind, do.; Chas. Perry, do., 104 do.; Sarah Perry, do., 105 do.; Wm. J. Boothe, do., 104 do.; Anna Marrian, do., 95 do.; Enterprise, do., 88 do.

Departed-Seman, Wm. Fowle, Thos. Charlon, Ohio, J. G. Strong, Captain Walker, S. Clarke, Oregon, James Boyer, Gen. Tyson, M. stablishment for executing such work are of R. Zimmerman, Elizabeth, J. Snively, Francis,

> CUBA PUBLIC MEETING .- Yesterday after noon a few printed small bills were posted in prominent places, headed with the figure of the American eagle, and the words "Come one, come all, at Cuba's call." "The blood of Critvited to assemble in the evening, at eight o'clock, in front of the Patent Office, "for the purpose of expressing their sympathy for the Cuban patriots, and taking into consideration the pre-sent state of affairs." Accordingly, at the hour named, about four hundred persons were in at-tendance. We presume that they who issued the call were not present, as no attempt was made to organize the meeting. However, Capt. E. B. Robinson was loudly called for. He directly obeyed the summons, and, having ascended the steps, delivered a brief address in favor of liberty everywhere, against oppressors generally, and contended for the constitutional ight of the people to bear arms, and to go whereever they list with them. He maintained that "Cuba belongs to us geographically, and, if the Queen of Spain should not give it to us peaceably, we will take it by force." When he concluded, other persons were called for to address the meeting; but none responding, the assemblage separated before nine o'clock, after giving three cheers for the speaker.—Republic.

> EDUCATION IN SPAIN .- We find the following letter in the New York Tribune of Tuesday:

CADIZ, Monday, July 28, 1851. "Yesterday, notwithstanding my repugnance to bull-fights, it was impossible to resist the repeated urging of Mr. C——, a gentleman to whom I am particularly indebted for many civilities, to accompany him to one of these spectacles. Many thousands were present at the vast amphitheatre of the square. Eight bulls entered the ring, and twenty-four horses were killed. One of the horsemen was severely gored, and two of those whose office it is to goad the animals to phrenzy, were badly bruised, and one barely escaped having his neck broken. The exposure and escape gave rise to rapturous applaudings. Even while I write, my imagination paints the poor horses with their entrails pro-truding, and still further drawn out by tramp-ling upon them with their own feet; their eyes bandaged to prevent them from recoiling

MOVEMENTS OF THE PAMPERO.—The following particulars in relation to Cuban matters were received upon the arrival of the steamship were received upon the arrival of the steamship Florida yesterday afternoon, through the me-dium of Mr. Culver, the Purser of that vessel, whose gentlemanly demeanor and polite atten tions are proverbial. *

At about two o'clock p. m. of Saturday, 22d instant, the steamer St. Matthew, arrived at Savannah from Pilatka, Florida, reported that on the morning of the same day the steamer Pampero was in Dobby Sound, where she had just arrived for the purpose of taking on board recruits that were then waiting at different points in the vicinity and ready to embark. of the same day—a small place about twelve miles in the interior and ten or twelve distant from Savannah, although she reported herself as bound to Tybee. To this latter place a ves-sel had been despatched in pursuit of her, but it was probable the sequel would show that she had been chasing an *ignis fatuus*, or a ghost, or something quite different from a Pampero.

Some ten or twelve passengers per the St. Matthew came on in the Florida to this city, all of whom furnished the Purser with the above at -Tribune 27th.

Review of the Northern Markets for

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Office of the American Telegraph, Aug. 28.

Baltimore, Aug. 27, 5 p. m.—Small sale of Howard street flour at \$4. City mills flour is held at \$3.87\footnote{3.57}.

Offers to buy at \$4.81\footnote{3.67} cash were refused to-day.

Sales white corn at \$8@60c., which is an advance.

Sales of yellow at \$4.655c. Sales of Maryland rye at \$60@ Sc., and of Pennsylvania at 70c. Sales of 50 hhds. bacon shoulders at 8½c; 30 hhds. do. at 8½c; 50 hhds. of sides at 9½c; 20 hhds. do. at 10c; 500 pieces family hams at 11c.; 50 bbls. mess pork at \$15.75; and 100 bbls. fard at

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 27-6 p. m .- Sales 1000 bbls. flour at \$3.75 for State brands. Rye flour \$3.25. Corn mea. \$2.8714. Sales of red wheat at 80c., and old Penna. white 2c. Yellow corn 60c. Rye 73c. Oats 34c. Nxw York, Aug. 27, 6 p. m.—Sales of 13,000 bbls. lour at \$3.871/@\$4 for State brands; \$4@\$4.121/5 for nesee; and \$4.121/68\$4.50 for southern. Rye flour

Genesee; and \$4.125,69\$4.50 for southern. Hye hour \$3.371%. Corn meal \$2.871%@\$3.

Sales of 3000 bushels Michigan red wheat at 93@94c, and 1000 bushels Mediterranean at 95c. Sales of 40,000 bushels mixed corn at 56c. Sales of 30,000 bushels rye at

Sc. Oats 40c. Sales of 400 bags Rio coffee at \$3/200c., and 200 hbds. ew Orleans sugar et So. Sales of 200 hbds. Porto Rico sugar at 51/40.

Arrivals at the Principal Hotels,

United States—W T Pepper, Charleston, S C; Chas E Norman, Va; W Kid Moore, Texas; Thos G Burke, Virginis; D G Deason, Tennesse; Rev Geo L Machenheimer, Maryland; A A Monteiro, Macon, Ga; C W Brown, Virginis; J A Morrison, W & R R R Co; J H Beck, steamer Mount Vernon; O C Wight, Washington; F M Delany, Philadelphia.

The Next Presidency.

Reference to Morse's Geography will show that Lexington, Kentucky, and Mr. Clay's home, are quite contiguous, and the traditions of our nation warrant the belief that there has been some intimacy, or at least a speaking a equaintance, between Mr. Clay and the editor of a newspaper, called the Observer, issued at the said town of Lexington. Now, there things said town of Lexington. Now, these things being known, it may not be amiss at the present moment for us to transfer to our columns the following article from the columns of the said Observer of the 20th instant. It sayeth:

"We look upon it as utterly unwise in either party to stir the question of the Presidency at this early time. But as we have no right to make any suggestions except in regard to the party with which we are identified, we will say, simply, that its continuance in power, in the Executive branch of the Government, depends upon the judgment with which the Whigs act during the next six months. It may be that the next session of Congress will develope a state of things which will demonstrate the absolute necessity of calling to the Presidency the man to whom, in every trial, all eyes seem to turn, and invoke his interposition to save the ship. Should this take place, it will be done turn, and invoke his interposition to save the ship. Should this take place, it will be done by the united co-operation of both parties, and thus put an end to party landmarks as they have existed for twenty-five years. Whether the health and strength of the illustrious patriot will allow this glorious termination of his public career, is, of course, in the womb of time. That a vast majority of the American people do earnestly desire this consummation, there is to our minds not a shadow of doubt. But we too well know the power of party discipline to put full faith in the accomplishment of this noble end. Yet, while Henry Clay lives, his friends will not yield the hope, nor cease their efforts to put him where he may do far more for the country than the Presidency could more for the country than the Presidency could confer renown upon him.
"We hope no one will indulge the supposi-

tion for a moment that Mr. Clay knows any-thing of what we choose to write. He will, we doubt not, make known his views and inten-tions, if it be necessary, at the appropriate time, and in a proper manner. All that we deire now, is to give it as our conviction that in the elements now at work in the struggle for the Presidency, the name of the Patriot Ashland is not an unforgotten one."

Mr. Murdoch, the young American tragedian, playing at Cincinnati. - Exchange paper.

Yes. Mr. Murdoch is a clever young American tragedian. We knew him well as such full twenty years ago.

A gentleman was on the Avenue this morning making inquiries for land warrants, of which he wished to purchase a dozen. He stated that he designed locating them in the Island of Cuba!

A GOOD FINANCIAL CONDITION .- Mexico owe about \$100,000,000, and has an income of \$8,000,000 annually; she expends \$11,000,000.

ITEMS OF NEWS.

CONCORD, N. H., Aug. 27.—It is reported that the Hon. Luke Woodbury, Democratic nominee for Governor, hung himself at his residence at Antrim this morning. He had been unwell for some weeks. Judge Levi Woodbury

PITTSBURG, Aug. 27.—In the case of the Alleghany bridge, the jury has decided the three most important issues out of the six pending, against the company.

Boston, August 27 .- Several gentlemen of Bostos, August 27.—Several general Mauritius were robbed last night of \$6,000 in gold. Their room was entered by false keys. The Eastern Railroad bridge over Packoe river was burned last evening.

The Whigs met to-night in convention, and nominated delegates to the Whig State Convention. Resolutions were passed, instructing the delegates to insist on Daniel Webster for President; that he is the choice of the Whigs of Boston and a large majority of the people of Massachusetts, should the subject come before National Convention.

JERSEY CITY, August 26-11, p. m.-A large meeting of Cuban sympathizers was held here to-night, at which Capt. Hancock, of the Mont-gomery Guards, presided. Speeches were made by Gen. Wright, District Attorney, Mr. Johnn. of Ohio, and others. Strong resolutions were adopted in favor of the Cuban patriots. Fifty-two guns, one for each man shot, were fired. A grand torch-light procession took place; and it is estimated that eight thousand ns were present. Much enthusiasm pre-

CHARLESTON, August 27.—Donaldson, a member of the Democratic National Convention from Texas, goes to New York to-morrow to issue a call for the meeting of the National Convention to take place in June, 1852. He takes this step in consequence of the correspondence re-cently published in the *Herald*, furnished unknown to him. The committee is now com-plete, Lewis Josselyn having been appointed from Massachusetts, in place of Hallet and Francis Blair, jr., from the same State, vice

NEW FALL GOODS .__ BONNETS, &c. JUST RECRIVED AT BROWN'S CHEAP CASH STORE, Pennsylvania avenue, opposite Brown's Hotel, an assortment of pretty Mousseiaines, Cashmeres, Calicoes, &c., which will be sold cheap. Also a large assortment of Bleached and Brown Cottons, very cheap, by the piece or yard. Also, six dozen Fall style Bonnets. au 28—dtr

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JUST RECEIVED at the Washington Store Manufactory, direct from New York, a large assortment of the best quality Enameled Grates, of various styles and the latest patterns. Also on hand an assortment of Baltimore Japanned Grates, which I will sell at the lowest market prices. Purchasers are respectfully requested to call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

JAS. SKIRVING, au 28—cod3t*] cor. Pa. av. and 10th st., south side.

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The proposals to state the price per cubic yard for grading, and per square yard for gravelling.

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in ten feet lengths, with accurately fitted brass screw
connecting joints, an entire new style of metallic (patented) attachments for brick or frame buildings; also,
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(patented), forming a lock; the whole mounted with a
solid platinum silver point, (patented), twelve inches long,
surrounded at the base with the angular gold-plated negative magnets, which possess the power to an extraordinary extent of discharging the opposite elements of the
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C. W. HENDON, Agent

THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 28.

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THE NATIONAL MONUMENT JOURNAL. A LL PERSONS holding subscriptions to the National Monument Journal are requested to return them without delay, directed to the General Agent of the Monument Society, Hon. Elisha Whittlesey, Washington, it being my intention to resume the publication of the Journal in all the month of September, should the patronage bestowed upon it justify a resumption.

au 26—3t J. C. PICKETT, Editor and Publisher.

A CARD.—Owing to the change which has lately been made in G. W. Yerby's business, the subscribers have put down the prices of a number of styles of goods for the purpose of reducing and running off the stock, preparatory to laying in Fall supplies.

Persons wanting Dry Goods at, and in many cases less than, the original cost, will find it to their advantage to give us a call, as we want room and money.

Au 23—d2w YERBY & MILLER.

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au 26—60

Pa. avenue, near 4½ street.

PRESERVING SUGARS. site the Centre Market.

No. 5, opposite the Centre Market.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED a large stock of standard white and clarified Sugars for Preserving, which we are selling at the lowest market prices.

125 barrels and boxes of standard Loaf, Crushed, Granulated, Powdered and Clarified Sugars. Also, the best quality and low-priced brown Sugars.

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PURE CIDER VINEGAR. &c.

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BARRELS pure Cider Vinegar.

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Fresh green Ginger, white Jamaica Ginger.

Dark and white Mustard Seed, Colery Seed, &c.

All kinds of Spices used for Pickling, of the best q

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HALF PIPES best white French Brandy for Peaches.

We shall be pleased to present our customers with a reperior manner and with but little trouble.

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THE subscriber having now two rooms vacant can accommodate a family or some young persons with board, by the week, month, or remainder of the season.

ROBERT W. BURROWES.

Reference: John F. Callan, J. Van Riswick, or Clement II. Bennett, esqrs.; or address the subscriber through the city post-office.

COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, July 21, 1851.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Taxes for the year 1851 are now due and payable at this office, and that an abatement of 10 per cent. will be allowed by law upon the Taxes for the current year, if paid on or before the 31st day of August ensuing.

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R. J. ROCHE, Collector.

UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS.

WE would invite the Ladies to call and examine our extensive Stock of Green, Blue, and Black Watered, Bordered and Lined Silk and Satin Tuer PARASOLS—the largest assortment in the District, at greatly reduced prices.

Also a choice selection of UMBRELLAS, all of the latest fashion, and the work warranted.

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JUST RECEIVED—a handsome variety of Silks and scotch Ginghams for re-covering.

*** Repairing and Covering faithfully and punctually accuted.

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Penn avenue, near 4½ street.

JAMES A. CONNER, proprietor of the CITY EX-PERSS, begs leave to inform the public that he still continues to run his EXPERSS WAGON to George-town daily, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He will also convey baggage to and from the Care, and the contract of the contract o

still continues to run his EXPRESS WAGON to George-town daily, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. He will also convey baggage to and from the Cars, and to any part of the city, at moderate charges. He hopes, by strict atten-tion to his business, and the prompt and faithful delivery of all articles committed to his keeping, to merit a liberal share of the patronage of the public. Orders left with Mr. Lewis F. Perry, at Clagett & Dod-son's, Pennsylvania avenue, near 9th street, will be at-tended to with promptness and fidelity. [au 2—tf

NEW WORKS.

IFE AND TIMES of John Calvin, by Paul Henry,
D. D. Translated from the German, by Henry
Stebbing, D. D.
Christ's Second Coming: Will it be Pre-Millennial! By
Rev. David Brown, A. M.
Young Man's Counsellor, by Rev. Daniel Wise, A. M.
History of the Republic of Liberia.
Christian Purity, by Rev. R. S. Foster—Introduction
by Bishon Janes.

AUCTION SALES

SUGAR AND MOLASSES at Auction.
On Friday next, the 27th instant, at 12 o'clock, on F. & A. H. Dodge's wharf, the cargo of the bark William Chase, from Mayagues, consisting of—390 hogsheads prime Sugar.
60 do choice Molasses.

e Molasses. E. S. WRIGHT, Auctioneer, Georgetown.

INSTRUCTION IN MUSIC.

THE UNDERSIGNED wishes to acquaint his friends and the public that he will continue the duties of his profession in giving instruction on the Piano and in Vocal Music; also lessons given on the Organ and Seraphine, with the Science of Harmony, at his residence, or at the private dwellings of his pupils.

The arrangements are such that pupils commencing or already advanced in their musical studies can, at their option, receive such lessons as may best promise their improvement. It is, also, of serious interest to those who wish to be well instructed in music, that they should begin and follow the first courses of lessons in as regular order as possible, as all future success will depend upon it.

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His recommendations for success in teaching for the last ten years in Washington and vicinity are of the highest character, and he feels confident that he is able to impart instruction in an easy, brief, and profitable manner. He solicits an early call from those interested, so that they may secure convenient hours for their lessons. All necessary information will be given to persons by calling at his residence, (14th street, between F and G streets,) or by leaving their names at the music stores of Mr. Davis, Mrs. Anderson, and at the Musical Depot of Mr. George Hilbus, where orders left will be punctually attended to.

Organist of Trinity Church (P. E..) and au 21—eo6m

Teacher of Music, Washington.

A FEW DAYS LONGER! RUNNING OFF STOCK.—To facilitate the removal of her store in a few days, Mrs. COLLISON is running off her present stock of FANCY AND MILLINERY GOODS at reduced prices. She is cularging the store lately occupied by Mrs. Choate, on Sixth Street, near the corner of Louisiana avenue, and will open as soon as the fixtures are completed. The present is a favorable opportunity to obtain bargains at her old stand.

au 20-tr Seventh Street, above II. MOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

THE SUBSCRIBER has associated with him in the Dry Goods business E. P. MILLER, of Jefferson county, Virginia; the copartnership to take effect from the 18th inst. The business for the future will be conducted under the firm of Yerby & Miller.

G. W. YERBY.

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In entering upon the above arrangement, the subscriber deems it proper, and is happy to have it in his power, to offer to his friends and the public generally his sincere thanks for their liberal support and patronage during the time he has been in business, and bespeaks for the new firm a continuation of pust favors, assuring all that the arrangement has been made under the most flattering circumstances, as the facilities of the new firm will be the best for doing a larger and more extended business, on the best and most advantageous principles to buyers.

AP Persons having unsettled accounts with me will have the kindness to close them at as early a day as possible, either with the cash or notes at short dates, as they will see the necessity of my winding up the old business. au 19—dlmif [Nat. Intel. codlmif]

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CONNECTICUT HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

Waterbury, Connecticut.
GUARANTY CAPITAL - - \$5,000.
THIS is an association of persons formed for the mutual benefit and relief of each other in cases of sickness or occident.

By the payment of the following annual rates you will become a life member, and be entitled to a weekly benefit

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By paying \$2.00 per year you will draw \$2.00 per week

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An admission fee of \$1.50 will be charged the first year a addition to the above, and must be paid at the time of asking the application, and the first year's deposit within hirty days.

Certificates of membership are granted to FEMALES

Those over fifty years of age will be charged 25 per cent

Certificates of membership are granted to FEMALES (upon the same terms as above) not exceeding \$4.00 per week.

JOHN DEACON, M. D., President,
REV. CHAS. FABRIQUE, Vice Prest.
W. B. LOUNSBURY, See'y and Treas'r.
H. H. WOODRUFF,
Agent for the District of Columbia.
Office at his Drug Store, corner of F and 11th strets, au 14—1y
Washington.

WANTS.

WANTED TO HIRE—two respectable Women, either colored or white—one for a COOK and the other for HOUSE-WORK. To those who can come well recommended, good wages will be given. Apply at Misses Rooker's Seminary, corner of 6th and F streets. au 23—d1w*

A Servant Woman Wanted.—A servant (a slave preferred) competent to cook and wash for a family, will find a good situation by applying at the Drug Store, corner of E and Seventh streets.

WANTED—to purchase or hire, for a term of years, a COLORED WOMAN, from 20 to 35 years of age. Inquire of A. GLADMAN, by 16—tf cor. of 9th and M streets.

MRS. ESTHER MOFFETT, 7th street, assortment of Ladical Cornel and the received to-day an assortment of Ladical Cornel and the received to-day an assortment of Ladical Cornel and the received to-day an assortment of Ladical Cornel and the received to-day and the rec

Morposite Odd-Fellows' Hall, has received to-day an assortment of Ladies' Cuff-pins, Jenny Lind Ear-rings, Velvet Ribands, Elastic Sleeve-confiners, Under-sleeves, &c. Also, English knit Suspenders, Mohair Stocks, white and colored Shirts, two rich China tea sets for children. Hampton's Vegetable Tincture kept constantly for sale.

Death to Rats. Mice. Cockroaches, and Ants!

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THE North American Exterminator is warranted superior, and cheaper, than any and all other articles heretofore offered to the public, for exterminating Rats, Mice, Black and Red Ants, from dwelling-houses, stores, granaries, vossels, &c. They will eat it readily, and Rats and Mice are not likely to die in the building. For further information ask for a circular, to be had of the agent gratis. If you want a truly valuable article, ask for the North American Rat Exterminator, and take no other. Price, 37½ cents per box, which contains sufficient to clear an ordinary building several times. Sold wholesale and retail by A. GRAY, Bookseller, au 14—co. 7th street, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall. DROPOSALS will be received by the undersigned

until the 20th inst. for constructing a culvert across B street north, at the intersection of 11th street west, of the same dimensions and to connect with the culvert that empties into the eanal at 11th street.

The length of the culvert will be about 94 feet; the abutments of blue stone, to be three feet thick, resting on a timber foundation, and to be well sheet-plied. The materials in the old culvert across B street to be used in the new one.

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The proposals will state the price for completing the whole work, including excavation and filling on crown of arch to the grade of B street north.

P. S.—Plan can be seen by calling on the undersigned.

W. H. DEGGES,
au 19— Commissioner First and Second Wards.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY, &c. We are now receiving, by ship Living
Age, from Liverpool, and from American
manufacturers, large additions to our
Stock, which we offer at very low prices.

CAMPRELL & COYLE,
au 15—lm* Sign of the Anvil, Penna. avenue.

SELLING OFF AT LESS THAN COST!

Cask currants
23 jars new crop Prunes
36 drums Smyrna Figs, No. 1.
Lot of Groundnuts, Palm nuts, &c., &c.
Intending to make a change in my business, I will sell
ny stock of FRUITS a great deal less than cost.

JAS. T. LLOYD,
au 15—tr

Pa. av., 3 doors east of 15th st.

Attention, Chewers and Smokers!

DownEit's popular Gigar and Tobacco stand is well supplied with the best Havanas and Principes. Also a splendid lot of Chewing Tobacco, to which he extends a cordial invitation to his friends and to gentlement of taste generally.

TIN, IRON, STEEL, AND AGRICULTURAL

HAVE JUST RECEIVED a supply of the following articles, which I will sell as low as they can be had this market for cash:

Roofing Tin, bright and leaded, 14 by 20
Bright Tin, 10 by 14; Sheet Zinc

Bar, Round, and Square Iron—American, English and wede

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Band and Hoop Iron, Plough Plates and Landsides
Cart Steel, American and English Blister Steel
Cart and Buggy Axies, and Wagon Boxes
Horse Shoes, Horse Nails, and Nail Rods
Cut and Wrought Nails and Spikes
Pumps, Grindstones, Wheelbarrows, and Trucks
Ploughs, Harrows, and Cultivators
Corn Shellers and Corn Mills
Vogetable Cutters and Straw Cutters
Wheat Fans and Churns
Sausage Cutters and Sausage Stuffers
Ox Tokes, Cattle Ties and Bull Rings
Root Pullers and Bramble Hooks
Fruit Gatherers and Corn Parchers
Shovels, Spades, Forks, Rakes, and Hoes
Folding Ladders and Water Rams
Vegetable Boilers and Garden Syringes
Wire for Fencing and Screw Wrenches
Garden Trowels, Pruning Scissors, &c., &c.
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